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In re application of: **Kevin Lauren COTE, et al.**  
 Serial No.: 10/001,769  
 Filed: October 26, 2001  
 For: **INFED APPARATUS FOR A SHEET MATERIAL ARTICLE TRIMMER**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Office Action (9 pages)** in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.  
☐ Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.  
☒ No fee for additional claims is required.  
☐ A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

FOR:	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	SMALL ENTITY		OR	LARGE ENTITY	
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TOTAL CLAIMS	* Minus 20	=	0			x \$ 50	\$
INDEP. CLAIMS	* Minus 3	=	0			x \$ 200	\$
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						+ \$ 360	\$
			TOTAL: \$		OR	TOTAL: \$	

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- ☐ Also transmitted herewith are:  
☐ Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
☐ Other:  
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☐ Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16  
☐ Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
☐ Other:  
☒ The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.  
☒ Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.  
☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.  
☒ Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the office action of February 16, 2006, please reconsider the above-identified application as follows: